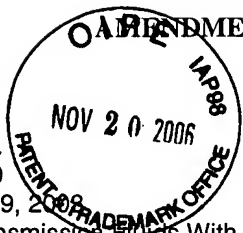


AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Docket No.: 2003L008
 In re
 Application of: Watts et al.
 Serial No.: 10/731,800
 Filed: December 9, 2003
 For: Power Transmission Belts With Improved Friction Characteristics



Before the Examiner

James Goloboy

Group Art Unit No. 1714

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

[X] The undersigned hereby certifies having information and a reasonable basis for belief that this correspondence will be deposited as first-class mail with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on November 15, 2006.

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$_____ to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

The fee for any changes in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest No. Previously Paid for	(5) Present Extra	(6) Rate	(7)
Total Claims	8	Minus	20	0	x \$50.00	0.00
Indep. Claims	1	Minus	3	0	x \$88.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					\$360.00	0.00
FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						0.00

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The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$_____ 0.00.

[] Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 05-1710.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1710. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Amendment

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on August 15, 2006.

The Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.